

U.S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION,
Washington, D.C., August 15, 1967.

HON. WAYNE N. ASPINALL,
*Chairman, Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs,
House of Representatives.*

DEAR MR. ASPINALL: This will reply to your letter of August 8, 1967, regarding H.R. 12121, a bill to amend the act of September 9, 1964 (78 Stat. 983), establishing the Public Land Law Review Commission, and for other purposes.

As you know, the AEC is represented on the Advisory Council of the Public Land Law Review Commission and is actively participating in various phases of the work of the Commission; which we believe is proceeding very satisfactorily.

In our opinion, the amendments proposed by H.R. 12121 are appropriate to insure the success of the very important studies and activities which the Public Land Law Review Commission has undertaken.

Sincerely yours,

W. E. JOHNSON,
Acting Chairman.

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION,
Washington, D.C., August 15, 1967.

HON. WAYNE N. ASPINALL,
*Chairman, Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs,
House of Representatives, Washington, D.C.*

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: This to acknowledge your letter of August 8, 1967, sending us a copy of H.R. 12121 and the transmittal to Congress, and advising us about the forthcoming hearings on this bill to amend the act of September 9, 1964 (78 Stat. 983), establishing the Public Land Law Review Commission, and for other purposes.

Through our representation on the Advisory Council of the Public Land Law Review Commission, we are familiar with the work of that group and its national importance. The enactment of this bill would provide the additional time and necessary funds to carry out that work. Also, the provision giving the Commission authority to require testimony to be given under oath should facilitate its task.

The Federal Power Commission therefore endorses the purposes of H.R. 12121 and favors its enactment. We appreciate having been given this opportunity to comment on the bill.

Sincerely,

LEE C. WHITE,
Chairman.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

The Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs recommends enactment of H.R. 12121 as amended.